

Remarks/Arguments

Claims 36-51, 53, 55-56 and 61-68 remain in this application. Claim 52 has been cancelled. New claim 69 has been added.

Claim 52 is objected to and would be patentable if rewritten in independent form including all limitations of the rejected base claim. Claim 52 has been added to claim 36 from which it depends. It is believed that claim 36 as amended is allowable.

New claim 69 is similar to now amended claim 36 except the drainage body contains the latching tab and the intake body has the means for receiving the latching tab. It is believed to be in condition for allowance for the same reasons stated in the office action as to why the combination of 36/52 would be allowable.

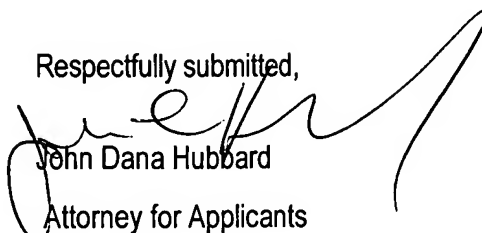
Claims 37, 47-51, 53, 55, 56 and 59-67 have been rejected under 35 USC 103(a) over Sklar et al in view of Lemonnier.

Applicant disagrees and believes that as they now depend from an allowable claim they are also allowable as prior art would fail to teach or suggest all the elements of amended claim 36 as well as those additional elements of the claims above.

Claims 38-46 and 57 have been rejected under 35 USC 103(a) over Sklar et al. in view of Lemonnier and further in view of Mehra et al.. Applicant disagrees and believes that as they now depend from an allowable claim they are also allowable as prior art would fail to teach or suggest all the elements of amended claim 36 as well as those additional elements of the claims above.

Consideration and allowance are respectfully requested in view of the foregoing amendment and remarks.

Respectfully submitted,



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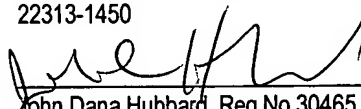
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